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- 2.—Form good habits.
- 3.—Stop paying rent.
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- 7.—Prices are low.
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BAND CONCERT TONIGHT IS AT EMMA SQUARE

The Hawaiian band under the direction of Captain Berger will give a public concert tonight at 7:30 o'clock, at Emma Square. The following is the program:

PART I.

March—"The Hussars".....Bohm
Overture—"Comique".....Bela
Waltz—"Language of Flowers".....
Selection—"La Traviata".....Verdi

PART II.

Vocal—Hawaiian Songs..Ar. by Berger
Selection—"The Merry Widow".....Lehar
Waltz—"The Merry Widow".....Lehar
March—"The Merry Widow".....Lehar
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DR. SCUDDER'S FIRST LECTURE ON THE BIBLE

The first lecture in connection with the Men's Bible reading movement will be delivered by Dr. Scudder next Thursday night at 7:30 at the Young Men's Christian Association hall. Part of the plan of this movement is to have a monthly lecture on the readings for the month. Dr. Scudder's lecture will be an explanation of the book of Matthew, under the title "The Gospel of the Publican." This lecture will be of a little different nature from Bible lectures that most of us are familiar with, in that it will not be a sermon preached as a Bible verse, as a text, but will be an exposition of a whole book, dealing with its authorship, its literary peculiarities, the group of people whom it was expected to interest, and its differences from the other gospels.

The Bible reading movement is gaining momentum, and signed cards are coming in every day. A number of organizations have taken up the plan and it is now being pushed by the Methodist church, Central Union church, the Christian church, the Japanese and Chinese Y. M. C. As., the Makiki Japanese church, Palama Mission and others. A number of men having no interest in any church or religious work of any kind have joined the movement, and the prospects of the association enrolling 500 men look pretty good.

No better time of year could be chosen for the launching of such a scheme, coming as it does at a time when men are making New Year's resolutions. A resolution to read the Bible daily is a good one, and many men will make it when they know that dozens of others are doing the same thing. Every man in town is invited to join this movement.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Oceanic Lodge No. 371, F. and A. M. will meet in Masonic Temple this evening at 7:30.

Harmony Lodge No. 2, I. O. O. F. will meet in Odd Fellows' Hall this evening at 7:30.

The annual New Year's Eve dance of the "Sairs" takes place Tuesday evening at the Young Hotel.

Leslie Scott, the Judiciary clerk, returned from his vacation of a week spent on Molokai in the Iwalei yesterday.

The fire alarm from Box 41 at 7 o'clock last night, was caused by the setting fire of a curtain in a lodging house between King and Hotel streets near River street. No other damage was done.

Christmas night the eldest son of Henry Cobb Adams, Kaneohe, while romping with some of his playmates, injured himself. Doctors Pratt and Waterhouse determined on Saturday night that the injury was a dislocation of the left hip and Mr. Adams took the boy, who is six and a half years old, to the Queen's Hospital on Sunday afternoon, where he is resting easily.

There will be a service for the prisoners at the Oahu Prison on New Year's Day at noon. To this service John M. Martin and some of those who have assisted him in the past in the regular Sunday services at the Prison will contribute; and so, too, will Father Valentin and some of those who have at times assisted him in such services.

There will be a watch meeting at the Methodist church on New Year's Eve. The service will begin at 8:30 o'clock with advanced Bible studies under the leadership of R. H. Trent, continuing until 9:15. From 9:15 to 10 o'clock there will be a praise service led by the pastor, the Rev. David Crane. From 10:15 to 11 o'clock refreshments will be served by the ladies of the church. From 11 o'clock until the breaking of the new year there will be a service consisting of short addresses by Peter Tosh, C. J. Day, Mark L. Johnson, John M. Martin and the pastor.

The reostat at the crematory at the Nuuanu cemetery burned out yesterday while the chamber was being heated up in preparation for the incineration of a body. As it was Sunday there was some difficulty in getting another to replace it, and this caused a delay of about two hours. Electricity is used to compress the air for atomizing the oil used to burn in the incinerating chamber. This is the first time any hitch ever occurred, though a score of bodies have been incinerated since the crematory was completed less than a year ago.

WOMAN'S CLOTHES APANA'S DISGUISE

Chief Taylor and his men captured a crowd of thirteen gamblers yesterday afternoon near the Moiliili quarry, with all their equipment, including a tin "kitty" box, with a slit in its cover through which \$5 or \$6 in small change had been already passed, to enrich the banker of the game. The great credit for the capture is due to Officer Apana, who made up as an old Chinese woman, and, in this rig, was able to get hold of the sentinels whom the gamblers had posted to warn them of coming trouble.

Eight draymen for the Hustace-Peck company were arrested yesterday morning and charged with violation of the Sunday laws, in that they were working on Sunday, when it was not a case of necessity. They were hauling wood from the Inter-Island wharves at the time and, immediately after their arrest, were bailed out by a representative of their employers.

Three Japanese were also arrested in the morning, charged with violation of the ordinance which forbids the collection of swill after 9 o'clock in the morning. Only one drunk was taken in during the day, and, as far as disturbances of a general nature went, the town was very quiet.

After the theater—refreshments at Alexander Young Cafe.

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A STANDARD FOR RETROSPECT

Sermon by Dr. Scudder for the Close of the Year.

Rev. Dr. Doremus Scudder at Central Union church last evening preached a sermon on the retrospect of the year. He took for his text the words of the Master from the cross, "It is finished."

The end of the year, he said, brings into natural retrospect its events. Wherever newspapers and periodicals are published, there is being prepared in these days summaries of the events and the course of events during the year 1907. An event which will receive wide notice is the trivial suggestion made during the year of war between the United States and Japan. Still more important is the widespread moral awakening of the Americans, as evidenced by the fact that something more than one-half of the United States now enjoys the blessings of the prohibition of the liquor traffic. This moral awakening is further evidenced by the fact that everywhere the people are arousing to the evils of corruption. Another great event of the year is the progress of China, a progress in one year greater than any other nation, even than Japan, ever made in two years. The Hague Peace Conference also takes its place as one of the great events of the year, for though there was a previous Hague conference, the one of 1907 was the only one in which all nations of the earth were represented.

The individual looking back over the year can judge of his own life in it by no better standard than the words of Christ on the cross, "It is finished." The definite purpose with which it is lived has reached its definite and expected conclusion. It is a purpose finished, completed, triumphant. It is satisfactory. It has measured up to and fitted in with the purpose of the Master.

It is not possible for us to feel such a completeness of life. Yet it is possible for us, if we have sought through the year to serve life's purpose fully, to measure up to it in degree. It is possible for each of us each year to come nearer to Jesus' satisfaction. It isn't a question of making a living—it is a question of making a life.

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LEAHI HOSPITAL VISITED.

The Central Union Christian Endeavor Society visited Leahi Hospital yesterday afternoon. There were thirty-two present, besides John Martin of the Methodist Church and Mr. Ewing of the Christian Church.

After a service of song by the society and a duet by Miss Vogel and Miss Phillips, Miss Florence Yarrow read the scripture lesson and gave a very interesting talk on Christian service. John Martin spoke of Christian cheerfulness.

Senator Dickey spoke of the gifts of Christ to us. The services closed by visiting every inmate and leaving some little Christmas tokens, which were much appreciated.

SEE YUP OFFICERS.

The See Yup Society on Saturday night elected the following officers for the year 1908:

President, Chung Tong Chong.
Vice President, Gow Que.
Secretary, Lau Yin.
Treasurer, Lau Tong.
Assistant Treasurer, Lam Chong.
Chinese Secretary, Chung Chow Kwong.

ENGAGEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hodson of Waikiki announce the engagement of their daughter, Ida Robena Hodson, to Mr. Harry M. Mix of Fresno, Cal.

Thomas F. McTighe & Co. will keep open evenings from this date until New Year's for the convenience of their many customers. Choice selection of pure food law whiskeys, table wines, etc., has just been received.

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